American Citizen. His carcer of glory through life was unstained by crime; and his death was felt as a loss by every individual of that community, whose political existence was the fruit of his exertions.

THE FAREWELL ADDRESS *of General Washington* is the condensed result of long experienced, matured reflection and strong anxiety for the permanent prosperity of his country. His advice concerning the great importance of maintaining indissolubly the federal Union: the danger of indulging too much in party feelings:—the necessity of supporting public credit at home:—of maintaining public faith in all our transactions with foreign nations: of encouraging foreign intercourse free frm foreign attachments:—are so many lessons of prudence which we should do well to bear in constant remembrance. Why therefore should not his legacy of wisdom and affection, be so published, as to admit of being constantly before our eyes? An ornament to our apartments, while it serves as a memento to guide our public feelings, and to manifest that the author lives in our memories?

To make it such, is the aim of the proposed Edition.

The Publishers are determined that the Address shall be printed on paper of the same quality and size as the splendid edition of the Declaration of Independence now engraving, & shall in all respects be a companion worthy that great State paper.

As errors are known from various causes to find their way into the most important writings, the publishers feel it their duty, not only to satisfy themselves, but to satisfy the public, of the authenticity of the copy from which this splendid Edition of the Farewell Address shall be published.

MR. GEORGE BRIDPORT will complete the Design; of which the following is an outline:—The introductory part of the Address, in highly finished ornamental penmanship, shall form the upper part;—the other parts of the plate, shall be appropriate ornaments;—in the centre below shall be engraved, from an historical design for this publication by Mr. *Sully* the Surrender of the British Army at York-town, October 19, 1781.

The Address itself shall be printed with type of a peculiar and appropriate character, designed for this purpose by Mr. Fairman, and to be cut and cast by our best artists. No more of the type shall be cast than will be necessary to execute this Address; & when it shall be compleated, the type and the matrices in which it was cast shall be utterly destroyed; so that no other work shall ever be executed by the same letter which shall have printed the "FAREWELL ADDRESS" of him who lived and died, *first in War; first in Peace, and first in the hearts of his Countrymen.*

The paper, of the first quality, 36 by 26 inches, will be made by Mr. Amies. The INK shall be carefully prepared, and of the best materials.

The signature of General Washington from which it is proposed to execute a fac simile for this publication, is that which he affixed to the Constitution of the United States, when he signed it as President of the Convention in which it was framed; Thus associating and concentrating some of the greatest events in the life of this great man and in the history of his Country.

The ornamental writing will be designed and executed in the very best manner; the ornamental parts of the design and vignette, will be engraved by G. FAIRMAN: and the Typographical part executed by *John Binns.* They will take especial care of the execution of their several duties in this respect, and they will call to their aid, all that liberality, zeal and industry can command from the Sciences and Arts, so as to make the "*Farewell Address*" no mean specimen of the state of the Fine Arts in the United States.

As much progress has already been made in designing and procuring materials for this splended edition of Gen. Washington's "*Farewell Address,*" it is expected it will be ready for delivery, with the Splended Edition of the Declaration of Independence, in the month of December next. That the public may have a more perfect view of the design and style of execution, than can be given in a proposal, of this Tribute to the memory of him who was "a Conqueror for the Freedom of his Country! A "Legislator for its Security! A Magistrate for its Happiness," it is not intended to solicit any Subscsiptions until the Ornamental parts of the plate shall be executed. It will then be submitted for public inspection and public patronage, at five dollars a Copy, payable on the delivery of the Engraving.

Philadelphia, July 31.

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Landing

FROM on board the Norfolk packet and for sale, 12 hhds Antigua Rum
August 20 NEWTON KEENE.

Prunello and Silk Shoes.

JUST received, (direct from France) 23 doz. black, green, buff, cinnamon, white, brown and dove colored ilk and prunello shoes, of superior quality; a few dozen glazed shoes.

ALSO,

On hand, an extensive assortment of ladies' and misses' kid, morocco and leather shoes; gentlemen's fine boots, shoes and pumps; common and coarse shoes and pumps; boys' and children's do; first and second quality Baltimore hats; low priced men's and boys' do; water proof plush do.—For sale wholesale and retail by the subscriber at his store, King street. WM. TRUE.
August 3 d1wwfmtf

Mechanics' Bank of Alex'a.

September 1, 1818

THE stockholders of this institution are hereby notified, that a dividend of 3½ per cent is this day declared for the last half year, on the Capital Stock paid in, payable to them or their legal representatives, on Friday the 11th inst.

By order of the Board.
P. H. MINOR, Cash'r.
September 1

This day is published,

AND for sale at the bookstore of JAMES KENNEDY & SON,

The Controversy between M. B. & Quæro,

which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of

ROMAN CATHOLICISM:

To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of Indulgencies—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.

BY A PROTESTANT.
Price in boards one dollar Sept3

Books and Stationary.

ROBERT GRAY has just received for sale on commission, an invoice of Books and Stationary, among which are the following articles, viz:

Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shey's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs; Accidents of life
Gisbourne's natural theology
Adams's history of all religions
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Brownie of Bodsbeck
The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or single; superfine vellum cap writing paper
August 28

New Grocery Store.

THE subscriber having commenced the Grocery business in the house of Mr. E. Lloyd, formerly occupied by Mr. Wm. Dunlap, on Cameron street, between Fairfax and Royal streets, has particularly selected for family use a general assortment of the best wines, liquors, cordials and groceries, which will be sold low for cash.

ALSO,

Twenty-four boxes Sicily lemons, in prime order, from New-York; and a fine assortment of handsome paper-hanging, recently imported from Marseilles, which will be sold very low by sets and by the yard.

VINCENT MASSOLETTI.
August 18 1m

50 Dollars Reward.

ABSCONDED on Saturday morning, the 15th inst. negro George, or George Griffin, the property of Miss M'Call, by trade a nailer, and understands some part of the blacksmith's business; he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, stout made, very black complexion, large eyes and mouth, with thick lips. He is a very artful fellow and has been in the habit of obtruding himself as a free man, and will no doubt attempt to pass as such, and probably get work—has a down look when spoken to.—His clothes not recollected, having various suits.

A reward of 10 dollars will be given if taken in the town or county, 20 in the county of Washington or Fairfax, or the above reward if taken 50 miles from town, with all reasonable charges if brought home.

Masters of vessels are cautioned against harboring or carrying off said runaway, as they will be dealt with according to law.

JAMES SANDERSON.
August 17 tf

Land for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale a tract of 60 acres of land, on the Colchester road, five miles from Alexandria, adjoining the lands of Haywood Foote and Dennis Johnston. The greater part of this tract is fine meadow land, abundantly supplied with water. Also one other tract of 261 acres, on the Ravensworth road, about 6 miles from Alexandria, and one mile from the first mentioned tract, adjoining land of Thos. Janney and Mr. M'Pherson: the greater part of this tract is in wood, the soil good and highly susceptible of improvement from the use of plaster. If these lands are not sold before the first of January next, they will then be for rent.

CHARLES SIMMS.
June 18 ws

Notice.

ALL persons having unsettled accounts with the late concern of *N. & R. Blacklock*, are hereby requested to bring them to the subscriber for adjustment without delay, as the affairs of that firm must be settled within a limited time; and those indebted will please discharge their accounts as soon as possible, to

ROBERT S. BLACKLOCK,
Who continues the

Grocery Business,

at the same stand, in King-street, and invites the friends of the late firm to call on him for supplies as usual.
September 7 dtf

Stationary.

JUST received and for sale by the subscribers, the following articles of very superior quality—

Black lead pencils
Quills
Penknives
Pocket-books
Mathematical instruments

Copy and cyphering books, record books, and other blank books of every description; with every article in the stationary line.—Orders for blank books executed with elegance and dispatch.

JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
July 21 tuths

Exchange & Broker's Office,

Georgetown, District of Columbia.

ROMULUS RIGGS.

AT his office, next door below Crawford's tavern, Bridge-st. Georgetown, will exchange all kinds of Bank Notes on the most reasonable terms.—All persons who may have notes on the banks of North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, would do well to call on him, as he is largely in the purchase of that kind of money, and will take it on the most reasonable terms.—Persons travelling to the Western Country may at all times get the Bank Notes of the Western Banks at a fair discount, by calling at his Office. For the information of all persons throughout the U. States, R. Riggs makes it known, that all of the Banks of the District of Columbia pay their notes on demand in specie; and it would be much to the advantage of the merchants, and trading to the South and west, to encourage the circulation of the Notes of the Banks of Georgetown, Washington and Alexandria, as it will at all times answer for remittances to the large commercial and Atlantic towns;—all persons emigrating or travelling to the westward should be very particular and take the Notes of the Banks of the District of Columbia, as they will find them the most current, there being no counterfeits on the District Banks. The Merchants' Bank of Alexandria has long since failed—all persons should be on their guard, as they will be imposed on. August 18

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber about the 4th of August, Negro Woman LOUIZA—she is 25 years old, about 5 feet five inches high, and stout; has some of her front teeth out, and is apt to laugh when spoken to; she has a sister Marinda and a mother living in Georgetown, one above Semmes's tavern, and the other on Herring Hill, where she has been harbored for two weeks, and left there to come home, but has not done so. I expect she can be found in Georgetown or Alexandria, where she has many acquaintances. I will give the above reward if brought home, or lodged in jail so that I get her again.

ROBERT HARPER.
Prince George's co. Maryland,
September 8 dtf

ACADEMY.

THE Subscriber most respectfully informs the inhabitants of Alexandria, that he will open an English, Mercantile, and Mathematical Academy at *Mr. Rudd's*, Prince-street, a few doors west of the Farmers' Bank, where youth shall be instructed with care and expedition in the following sciences, in order to qualify them for the different departments in trade and business, viz. *In the Mercantile, Naval, and Military line.*—Reading; writing; arithmetic;* English-grammar; book-keeping;† geometry, both plane and solid; mensuration of surfaces and solids; trigonometry, both plane and spherical; surveying; gauging; navigation; dialing; use of the globes, maps, and geography; algebra; conic-sections; mechanics; gunnery; fortification; fluxions; astronomy; &c. &c.

Applications to be made to Mr. Guy Atkinson, Mr. Wm. Dunlap or at the academy, where the terms will be made known.

☞ The Academy will open on the 17th inst. JAS. CADEN,
Prof. Math. & Nat. Philosophy.

*Arithmetic in so compendious a manner, (by lecture) that one figure does the office of ten in the common way; and of course, in one tenth the time the student can acquire a regular knowledge of this excellent art.

†Book-keeping (by single and double entry) in all its varieties, with general lectures on Domestic, Factorage and Company Accounts; Accounts of Exchange; Negociation of bills; covering of cargoes, &c. with calculations, shewing at one view the state of the trader, merchant, factor, and grocer's affairs. These being more closely connected with business than any of the above, occasioned the subscriber to point them out to the public. He also invites the learned to visit the academy at their convenience, and judge for themselves. On the first of October he will open an Evening School, for the accommodation of those whose employments prevent from attending during the day. J. C.
September 12

S. & D. Reed,

HAVE just received a fresh supply of SHOES and HATS, consisting of the following kinds:

1000 pair women's leather pumps
400 do do thick soles
300 misses' do do
500 ladies' morocco slips
200 do do with heels
500 do low priced morocco slips
500 children's morocco and leather shoes
500 men's & boys' bound leather shoes
400 men's low priced fur hats
400 do and boys' wool do
100 boys' white do
10 boxes lemons

All of the above articles are offered for sale at low prices for cash, and at the usual credit to punctual customers.—Country Merchants can be supplied at Northern Prices. August 28

Baltimore Hospital,

24th August, 1818.

THE board of visitors have much pleasure in announcing to the public, that within the last eighteen months, a large and elegant addition has been made to this valuable institution, in the erection of the East wing of the building. This wing is 152 feet in length and 36 in width, with an extensive Southern projection at its extreme East end. It contains between 30 and 40 apartments, admirably calculated for the accommodation of every class of patients. Of this number are several large and airy wards, intended particularly for the reception of seamen, and well adapted to their various diseases. These different rooms and wards will be warmed by open fires, and by heated air thrown into them, from furnaces constructed on a safe and improved plan. Arrangements will also soon be made, for lighting the apartments in the entire building, with gas.

The unwearied exertions of Doctors Mackenzie and Smyth, the attending Physicians of the Hospital, in their attention to the construction of the building, and their care of the sick, have given a character to this Institution, which is now inferior to none in the United States. In the short space of six years, a most noble establishment has been erected—a thing without parallel in this country. It is well known, that above half a century has been consumed, in bringing the Hospitals of New-York and Philadelphia to their present size, and it is admitted by many gentlemen, who have visited these Institutions, that the Hospital here, is by far the most extensive, the whole building being now 360 feet in length.

The daily increase of the sick in the Hospital, renders it absolutely necessary that the new wing should be furnished; and every exertion is now making, to have it completed, before the cold weather shall set in.

The visitors at their late meeting, examined the Institution with much care—the apartments of the sick in the private infirmary—those in the lunatick asylum—and the wards of the sick and disabled seamen in the Marine Hospital—and they assert with confidence, that the sick and afflicted of every description are well accommodated and carefully attended. They have seen at their different meetings, the private patient comfortable: the wretched marine humanely taken care of; and the sailor, disabled by age, wounds and sickness, well provided with suitable medical assistance, and with every other comfort which his condition may require. Indeed the agreeable situation in which this very useful class of men are placed, does much credit, as well to the Director of the Marine Hospital, as to the attending Physicians, to whose immediate care they are entrusted. Every praise too, which the visitors can bestow, is due to Mr. & Mrs. Gatchel, the Stewart and Matron of the Hospital, for the neat and clean manner in which the House is uniformly kept, and for their care and attention to the administration of the internal economy of the establishment.

Before they conclude this account of the Hospital, the visitors would invite the attention of their fellow citizens throughout the United States, to the *Anatomical Cabinet of Wax Preparations*, by *Chiappi*, which certainly far surpasses any thing of the kind ever exhibited in this country; and will afford to those whose curiosity may lead them to see how "fearfully and wonderfully they are made," but more especially to the medical student, a fund of useful information.

The Hospital is under the care of the following medical gentlemen:

Doctors *Colin Mackenzie* } Attending
James Smyth } Physicians.
Dr. *Horatio Gates Jameson*, Atten'g Surg.
Doctors *George Brown*, *John Coulter*, *John Campbell White*, *Solomon Birkhead*, *John Cromwell*, *Peter Chatard*, *Ashton Alexander*, *John Owen*, *William Donaldson* } Consulting Physicians.

By order of the Board of Visitors,
JOHN HILLEN, Sec'y.
August 27 Th8w

The Maryland Gazette and Republican, at Annapolis, the Political Examiner, at Fredericktown; the Torch Light, at Hagerstown; the Alleghany Freeman, at Cumberland; the Star and Gazette, at Easton; the National Intelligencer and Gazette, at Washington City; the Alexandria Herald and Gazette; the Richmond Inquirer and Compiler; the Ledger and Beacon, at Norfolk; Petersburg Intelligencer; Raleigh Minerva; Charleston City Gazette; Augusta Chronicle and Savannah Republican, will please publish the above once a week for eight weeks, and forward their accounts to the office of the Baltimore American for collection, positively on or before the first day of March next.

Advertisement.

ABSCONDED from the subscriber's service, on Saturday night the 15th inst. Negro woman TREACE or TREACY—she is five feet two or three inches high, about 30 years of age, of a very dark complexion, and when particularly examined is very apt to confound herself.—It is deemed unnecessary to mention her clothing, as she has all of them with her, and being extremely artful, she no doubt will change them and endeavor to pass for a free woman. She is well acquainted in Charles county, Prince George's, Alexandria and the City, as about 5 years ago she made her escape, and was 6 or 7 months about the Lower Ferry, leading to Alexandria, and from thence to Washington City, where she acquired an extensive acquaintance among the Negroes belonging to John Brent, esq.; and the greater part of said Negroes belong now to William and Rober Brent, esqrs. and Mr. Dudley Diggs. Negro Treace has a scar on the back part of her neck, occasioned by a seaton put for the benefit of her eyes, which are very weak at this time. I will give 10 dollars if taken in the county and secured in jail, or if out of the county and secured as aforesaid, so that I get her again, 25 dollars, and all reasonable charges paid if brought home. All persons are forewarned harboring or employing said Negro at their peril, as the law will be rigorously put in force against any offender.

THOMAS BURGESS.
Charles co. Maryland, near
Port-Tobacco, Aug. 24 d3tTu

Robert Gray,

Next door west of the corner of King & Royal Streets,

HAS just received on consignment, the following BOOKS and STATIONARY ARTICLES, viz:

Volney's Ruins; Thaddens of Warsaw; Olney Hymns; Faneway's Letters
Murray's Reader, Grammar, Exercises and Key;
Triumphs of Temper;
New-York Reader, No. 1, 2, & 3;
Episcopal prayer books
Travels at Home; Cases of Conscience
Chalmer's Discourses
Accidents of Human Life
Plaicede, a Spanish Tale; Manners, a novel; Balance of Comfort
Letters from the Cape of Good Hope
Bonaparte's letter to Lord Liverpool
Coxe's Female Scripture Biography
Beauties of Robertson
Harrington and Ormond
Memoirs of Moreau
——— Bernadotte
——— Rachael Baker
Youth's Cabinet
Murray's Grammar, Abridged
Murray's, Webster's Comly's, and N York Spelling Books
New-York Preceptor and Primer
Allison's Sermons, 2 volumes
Tales of Fancy; Poetical Chronology
Clavis Ciceronis; Tacitus
Airs of Palestine; Hubert and Ellen
Valentine's Eve; Readings on Poetry
Lord of the Isles
Sancho, or The Proverbialist
Cowper's Poems; Comic Dramas
Paris Revisited; French War in Spain
Poet's Pilgrimage; Masonic Minstrel
Simpson's Comic Sections
Willish's Lectures
Rambach's Meditations
Sidney on Government
Warren's America; Military Tutor
Family Prayers; American Star
Sanford and Merton; Scott's Lessons
Looking Glass for the Mind
Pocket and school Bibles & Testaments
Jess's Surveying
Johnson's Dictionary, large and small
Child's Monitor; American Nepos
History of England
Addison's Works, 6 vols. boards
Federalist; Clerk's Magazine
Columbian Letter Writer
Introduction to Reading
Episcopal Hymns, &c. &c. &c.

Stationary:

Plain and fancy letter, superfine and common cap writing and large brown wrapping paper; band box and bonnet boards; playing cards; ink powder, red and black; black morocco pocket books; wedgewood cork and paper inkholders; lead and slate pencils; superfine English and American drawing paper; Reeves's colors in boxes; German and octave flutes; fifes and clarionets; black sand and sand boxes; wafers; quills; blank checks on the Mechanics' and Farmers' banks; bills of lading; seamen's articles; manifests and powers of attorney; bank books, copy and cyphering books, plain and ruled ledgers journals day books invoices, letter & common account books in full and half binding. Orders for any description of BLANK BOOKS executed at a short notice; and warranted for neatness, strength and durability, equal to any in the district. June 27.

Carpeting.

ON hand at the auction store corner of Prince and Water streets, Holland Rush Carpets, (justly celebrated for their durability)—of different widths and qualities, which may be seen and purchased at any time.

June 18 P. G. MARSTELLER.

New Publications.

JUST Received and for sale by the subscribers,

Capt. Tuckey's Narrative of an Expedition to explore the River Zaire, usually called the Congou, in Southern Africa, in 1816, to which are added the Journal of Professor Smith, and some general observations on its Inhabitants, published by Permission of the Lords of the admiralty.

The possibility of approaching the North Pole asserted by the Hon. D. Barrington, with an appendix containing Papers on the same Subject, and on a Northwest Passage, by Col. Beaufoy, F. R. S. Illustrated with a Map of the North Pole, according to the latest Discoveries.

Hobhouse's Historical Illustrations of the fourth Canto of Childe Harold, containing Dissertations on the Ruins of Rome, and an Essay on Italian Literature.

Joyce's Dialogues in Chemistry for the amusement and Instruction of young people, 2 vols.

The Brownie of Bodsbeck and other Tales, by James Hogg, Author of Queen's Wake, &c.

Marriage, a novel.

The Batchelor and the Married Man do.

Foliage, a Poem, by Leigh Hunt.

The Fudge Family in Paris.

Zuma, or the Tree of Health, and other Tales, by Mad. de Genlis.

A Help to the profitable Reading of the Holy Scriptures, by the Rev. Edward Bickersteth.

The Testimony of Natural Theology to Christianity, by Dr. Gisborne.

The Life of Mrs. Isabella Graham.
Mrs. Martha Ramsay.
Rev. Dr. Buchanan.
Dr. Watson, Bishop of Landaff.

Ellis's Account of Lord Amherst's Embassy to China.

Rambles in Italy, by an American.

Rob Roy Mc Gregor; or Auld Lang Syne, a Musical Drama.

☞ Every new publication as soon as it can arrive, may be had of

JAS. KENNEDY & SON.
September 9

French Creek Boarding School.

The following is published for the information of Parents:

HAVING long believed that a School on a plan different from most others in many respects, would be beneficial to society, and apprehending that with all its cares, and the responsibility inseparable from such a concern, I could more cheerfully devote my time to the education of children than to any other business, I have concluded to establish a BOARDING SCHOOL for GIRLS.—With this view I have purchased the FRENCH CREEK FARM, four miles east of the yellow springs, on the Norristown and Philadelphia road, situated in Pikeland and Vincent townships, Chester county, twenty-seven miles from Philadelphia, combining many conveniencies for the support of such an institution; and having let the farm, etc. in a way calculated to supply the family with provisions, I propose to devote my attention, with the aid of suitable assistants, to the education of the children who may be placed under my care.

In selecting the pupils, it is not proposed to be governed entirely by their ages, nor to require that they shall all be members of the religious society of Friends; but as the school rules will be very few in number and very simple, it is my wish that none may be sent contrary to their own inclination, nor any one who would not be likely to be good examples to the other scholars, and treat them with kindness and affection.

The price for board and tuition will be two hundred Dollars per annum, one quarter always to be paid in advance—no restrictions respecting the kind of clothing are intended, nor respecting the frequency of the changes that parents may require; the washing will be charged at the ordinary price per dozen—children may be admitted for one quarter only, and such as are entered for a longer period, may nevertheless be removed at the expiration of any quarter.—The communication with Philadelphia will be frequent and easy by stage, and a house of entertainment kept by the farmer for the accommodation of persons having business at the school.

Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography and the use of Maps and globes, will be taught, together with such other branches as the progress of the children and experience may render expedient. The school to open the first of the 5th month next. For further information apply to Edward Stabler, Alexandria, or to

EMMOR KIMBER.
2d mo. 21 8t

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From the New-England Galaxy.

JOHN BULL AND PARLEZ VOUS.

With sober look John Bull once took
With Parlez Vous a station,
Where their whole chat was this and that,
In praise of each one's nation.

Says Parlez Vous, "I appeal to you
"Avoiding base contention;
"In your own eyes our nation rise,
"In matters of *invention*.

"In point of dress you all confess
"De French invent de ruffle."
Quoth John, "that's true, I yield to you,
"Without dispute or shuffle.

"*Improvement* next must be our text;
"In this we're most expert, sir;
"The ruffle we improve, you see,
"By adding to't a shirt, sir."

The following religious missionaries are now abroad from the United States:—At Bombay, Rev. Gordon Hall, H. Bardwell, Samuel Newell, John Nichols and Allan Graves:—At Rangoon, Burmah, Rev. Adoniram Judson, jun. George H. Hough, James Coleman and Edward Wheelock;—At the Island of Ceylon, Rev. Edward Warren, Benjamin C. Meigs, James Richardson, and Daniel Poor.

Amongst the patents granted in France, on the 8th of July, are the following:—

One for a method of condensing hydrogen gas, by which it can be rendered an article of commerce. Another for a printing press by which both sides of the paper can be printed at once.

THE ENGLISH CLIMATE.

An American lady writes thus from Liverpool, June 12, 1818.—"The weather has been very fine—for 26 days, there was not a drop of rain, nor even a cloud to be seen. The oldest people say they never knew such weather before.

"On our passage out we had bad weather all the time; the sun rose clear but once and did not set clear the whole passage."

This exhibits a rare and remarkable fact in the climate of England, and a difference not less remarkable between the weather at the same period, as it was while the lady was making her stormy passage from America to England, that the unclouded days of the latter country continued in uninterrupted succession.

CURIOUS CIRCUMSTANCE.

In the early part of 1817, the Beaconsfield and London carrier had a small parcel delivered to him to convey to town, which, by some means he never could surmise, he lost on the road out of his pocket. Nothing was afterwards heard of the parcel until a few days ago, when a carpenter repairing Hall Barn, the seat of the Rev. H. Waller, near Beaconsfield, accidently found the long lost parcel in perfect preservation in a *Jackdaw's Nest*.

A country lad at Copenhagen, having laid himself down in the field to sleep, a Snake crept into his mouth which was open and descended into his stomach: after remaining there several days it came out alive again, by the same way it entered.

FRENCH EXILES.

Beaubarnois, the son of Napoleon's first wife by her first husband, was a favorite of Bonaparte, and greatly advanced by him when he wielded the sceptre of France. This young man married the daughter of the king of Bavaria; and has been put in possession of several dukedoms. But he is on bad terms with the prince royal of that kingdom, and his name is not mentioned in the new constitution of Bavaria. He has remonstrated, but without effect. Beaubarnois is building a palace at Munich, and has subscribed liberally towards a new theatre, which is building there. His income is two millions five hundred thousand dollars per annum.

Lavalette resides with general Drouet, near Munich.

Jerome Bonaparte continues to reside in Austria.

Madame Moreau, was at the mineral springs at Aix, Savoy, in July.

The Dandies are bringing again into fashion *feather bed neck cloths* and *pillory capes;* and none of the "dear delightful creatures" can be seen without stays, pinching the waist so tightly, that the unhappy wearer resembles an *hour glass* in shape. Great coats, with a waist an *inch and an half* long, are *all the go!* and the shirt collars are long enough to go twice round the throat. In short, nothing can be too stiff at present; and every *lad* that *goes into the world*, must have his neck tied up almost as tight as some *lads that go out of it!*

ALEXANDRIA:
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1818.

A letter was received this morning, dated *Bermuda, Sept.* 10, stating that a very heavy gale took place there on the 29th August, in which all the shipping were driven on shore, among which was the sloop Regulator, Soule, hence—which vessel suffered less than any other in port—while many were totally lost. The Regulator sustained very little damage, has since taken in a cargo, and was to sail for Alexandria 15th instant. At Bermuda, American produce was generally dull. Flour D. 11 to 11 50. [*Ex. C. H. Books, Sept.* 23.

PRAISEWORTHY ACT.

We are happy to have it in our power to record the following act of patriotic munificence. Were similar instances, which no doubt exist, oftener made public, we believe the cause of humanity would be promoted.

Our readers no doubt remember the application of Capt. *William Watson*, of Vermont, for a pension, under the law of the last congress providing for the relief of the surviving officers and soldiers of the revolution. The petition contained a recapitulation of the services and sufferings of captain W. in that war, which was published by the editor of the Albany Register, with some remarks confirming its authenticity. The latter article was seen by Mr. *Morgan*, President of the U. S. Branch Bank at N. Orleans, who wrote to his friend in New-York, directing him to forward one hundred dollars immediately to the old veteran, and draw upon him for that amount. This is no mockery—but an act of pure, patriotic, and disinterested benevolence.

The word representative, as it has always been understood in the business of legislation, means, not as *Americanus* seems to think, "something bearing a strong similitude to the original," but "*one exercising the vicarious power given to another.*" It was in this sense I considered the word in my application of it—and I believe it is for this purpose that persons so named are appointed. Once appointed, the representative is invested with the most perfect discretion in the exercise of that power for the whole time for which it is granted; and the very nature of the grant implies that his conduct is left to the decision of his own judgment. When a representative in congress is elected, the supposition is, and the fact ought to be, that he is chosen for his superior qualifications—for his superior knowledge, political experience, talents, and erudition. The majority of any body of constituents must, from the necessity of their condition, be incapable of instructing any man whom a community ought to elect, supposing they were all collected at the fountain head of political information, to to which he is sent in order that he may have immediate possession of all the facts on which his decision is to be grounded, and the benefit of the various opinions and sentiments of his co-legislators to assist and guide him.

If the advocates for the doctrine of instructions were correct in the principle, the representative would be in the most contemptible circumstances of servitude imaginable. He would be neither more nor less than a being who voluntarily suborned himself to sacrifice his unbiassed opinion, his mature judgment, his enlightened conscience, his intelligence, his principle, his all that confers dignity upon man, to the caprice of others, and pledges himself for the most slavish submission to the unsteady dictation of a multitude.—He must set out with a determination to abuse the highest gifts of God—to belie his judgment, should it be demanded of him, and to tie himself down to the maintenance of principles, which not only he has not examined, and cannot fore-see, but which at the time he takes the office are not so much as imagined by those to whom he pledges himself. In short, he engages him, as if he directly said to his constituents, "make me your representative, and from that time forward I shall not pretend to have an opinion of my own, or to be guided by my conscientious convictions—no! your commands shall be to me conviction, conscience, judgment, every thing:—I may be convinced that your opinions and instructions are mischievous to the republic—but no matter, to carry them into effect shall be with me a virtue." Now, I, on the contrary, maintain, that in obeying them he acts the traitor to his country and to them. "If, (says a certain distinguished political philosopher) if government were a matter of *will* upon any side, no doubt that of the constituent ought to be superior: but government and legislation are matters of reason and judgment, and not of inclination; and what sort of judgment is that, in which the determination precedes the discussion; in which one set of men deliberate, and another decide; and where those who form the conclusion are many hundred of miles distant from those who bear the arguments."

That the people of the United States are the acknowledged sovereigns of power, and that *their united voices* is considered as the basis of law, as Americanus says, is a truth which I would be the last to deny. But it is the people of the *United States*, and every member of congress, come from what contracted district he will, and be the will and instructions of his constituents what they may, is bound to maintain the interests of those states in the gross—it is for that purpose he is sent—not to be guided by local interests, or servitude to a local *will*, but by the GENERAL GOOD, in determining upon which, he is bound to exercise his judgment conscientiously, and without bias or prejudice. If he act otherwise, he is, in fact, a legislator only for a district and its handfull of individuals—not for this vast republic and its eight millions of citizens. Has it never happened, nay, may it not frequently happen, that local interests and distorted opinions arising from them, arise in contradiction to the great general policy of the whole community of the states?—What then is the duty of the representative?—Ought not his judgment and his conscience to be unshackled? Assuredly;—his seat in congress ought then to be regarded by him as a special trust from providence, for the due execution of which he is deeply responsible to God and the republic.

But supposing it were expedient that the will of his constituents should be the guide of the representative, how shall that will be ascertained? On the policy of the most critical and important measure that ever occurred in our history, a question, possibly, might be put in a meeting of two or three hundred and decided by reckoning of heads—The voices are, perhaps, so nearly equal that a single vote turns the scale—the decision according to the new doctrine is imperative on the representative, who, perhaps, is endowed in moral and intellectual gifts for legislating for nations. No idea can be more perfectly ludicrous than Madison or Hamilton while they were writing that treasure of political philosophy, "the Federalist," being instructed by the casting voice of a drunken pavier or boatman.—And who would call the workings of their matured judgment and profound knowledge *the effervescence of their imaginations?*—or who accuse the assertion of their opinions of being an act of usurpation?

That the public opinion ought to have the greatest weight with legislators is certain—not but that there have been cases in which the public voice has blown one continued tempest in favor of the most ruinous measures.* But it would be carrying things too far to assume that the will of a district was the public voice. At all events, the sound judgment of an able, well informed, honest individual, who is removable at the end of his two years, may be with sufficient safety relied upon. The constitutional recurrence of election was evidently intended to supply all that could be useful in the right of instruction. But let the right of instruction be established, and biennial elections would be just so much time, and trouble, and clamour, and expense, thrown away for nothing. Z.

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A friend has put into our hands a section of a late act of the English Parliament, issued in July last from the General Post-Office, at London, by which it appears that the letters of merchants of the United States, when sent by vessels in which they are shippers, and addressed to the consignees of their goods, are received in England free of the ship letter postage—provided that such owners or consignees shall be described as such on the address or subscription thereof, and provided it shall appear by the manifest that such persons actually have goods on board—such letters not to exceed six ounces.

[*New-York Gazette.*

A passenger in the schr. Fair-Play, ar. at New-York from Aux-Cayes, informs, that several of Christophe's emissaries, or spies, had recently been seized at Port-au-Prince. The Port-au-Prince squadron have lately sent in the Patriot Privateer Fox. [*Baltimore American.*

Hagerstown, (Md.) September 15.

THE PARRICIDE SELF-CONVICTED.

George Lizar, who murdered his father, near this place, on the 19th of last month, delivered himself up to the civil authority, yesterday morning, and was committed to jail.—Since the perpetration of the murder, he has been wandering about the mountain, near Waynesburg, in the most deplorable situation, subsisting upon such food as he could procure in the fields and woods.

Havre-de-Grace, (Md.) Sept. 17.

We are informed that a very interesting trial came on at the Court of quarter sessions, held in Elkton, for Cœcil county, last week—for *seduction* and a *breach of promise of marriage*.—The plaintiff a young woman of respectable connexions—The defendant quite a wealthy and aged man. The plaintiff recovered damages to the amount of *six thousand dollars*.

Frequent allusion has been made in the public prints to Lord Cochrane's Frigate. From a gentleman, who was lately on board of her, we learn, that she mounts 38 guns, about 26 long 18 pounders. She has a steam machinery to move her, which is so fixed that the paddles may be lifted up out of the water in case of a storm. She is rigged in the manner of a Spanish Polacre—her sails managed by halyards from below, and they do not require hands to go aloft to furl or unfurl them. She was completely manned, and is supposed to be destined to the assistance of the Spanish Patriots.

[*Richmond Inquirer.*

Money is so plenty in Paris as to be offered for 4 per cent.

The population of all the states belonging to the German confederation, is estimated at about 30,068,803 souls.

Among the expenses of the town of Savannah for the past year, is an item of 200 dollars paid to sundry persons for killing 400 *dogs:* and among those of Franklin county, in the state of New-York, is an item of 63 dollars, paid for *wolf-scalps!*

From the Washington City Gazette.

The following is a very good answer to those hints and insinuations thrown out in certain letters *said* to have been received from Buenos Ayres, and lately published in this city, no doubt with a view to serve particular purposes. One would hardly suppose a child could be imposed on to give credit to such vile trash. Their ignorance and contradictory assertions carry conviction on the face of such statements; and what they labor to conceal is the strongest proof of their misrepresentations. The Maryland Censor of the 19th inst. says:—

"We have seen a great number and variety of letters, papers, and passengers by the Manhattan, the last arrival from Buenos Ayres; and we can assure them that the situation of general Artigas is very different from the one stated to be represented in private letters, received at Washington. The Portuguese have not taken Purification, his seat of government, as mentioned; nor do they threaten Buenos Ayres—on the contrary, the government of Buenos Ayres was said to be preparing a body of cavalry to go against Artigas—a thing not likely to happen if threatened by the Portuguese.—Two officers of Artigas had been defeated, but he had afterwards defeated the Portuguese in person. The war against Artigas is one of the most unprovoked and unblushing measures of royal aggression, upon human rights, that ever occurred, and we should be sorry that any friend of liberty could notice their success, unaccompanied with an expression of regret. In this instance it may not be *irrelevent* to remember, that the Portuguese consul general is interested to the amount of several hundred thousand dollars—*suits pending* in overthrowing Artigas' government. But supposing Purification, the seat of Artigas' government, had been taken—the seat of government and the government itself, are two things; as the editors of the Intell gencer had some occasion to know not many years since. If the voice of the people is the voice of God and deserves to be respected, then does the power of Artigas."

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Captain Rich, who went in pursuit of the Sea-Serpent, and captured a Tunny or Albercore, has published a lengthy statement in the Boston Daily Advertiser, which, if admitted, would deny the existence of the sea serpent. The account closes as follows—

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The arrival of this steam-boat at Detroit, on the 27th of August, is thus noticed in the Detroit Gazette:

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These pills are recommended by men of the first characters in the state of Massachusetts. JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
September 24 tf

For Sale,

At the office of the Alexandria Herald,
THE CONFESSION OF
JOSEPH HARE,
alias Joseph Thompson Hare,
ONE OF THE MAIL ROBBERS,
Who was executed, together with John Alexander, at Baltimore, on the tenth day of Sept. 1818, for the robbery of the United States' Mail, near Havre-de-Grace, on the night of the 11th March last past; containing
A HISTORY OF HIS LIFE,
And detailing a series of robberies for the last 14 years, in the states of Louisiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia, Maryland, Massachusetts, New-Jersey, and in Canada and the Spanish provinces, to the amount of nearly ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS!
WRITTEN BY HIMSELF,
During his imprisonment, and published from the original manuscript, now in the possession of the publisher. To which is annexed a note by the publisher, giving an account of his escape and re-apprehension.

☞Persons at a distance can have them forwarded by mail. September 19

For New-Orleans,

The good brig AGENT, B H Davison, Master, will sail positively within twenty-one or two days: for freight of 800 barrels, or passage, apply to the master on board. B. H. DAVISON.
September 21

For Boston,

The brig ECONOMY, James Cleavland, master, burthen 1000 bbls. She is an excellent and fast sailing vessel, and will be ready to load in four days. For freight of 500 bbls apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co.
Who have for sale the brig's cargo of 3000 bushels Isle of May salt and 150 goat skins Sept 18 2w

For Freight.

The brig MERCATOR, Captain Parsons, carries about 1000 barrels; will be ready for the reception of a cargo in five days, and take freight for the West Indies or any eastern port.
For sale said Brig's Cargo of
700 casks fresh Thomaston lime.
Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.
September 21 tf

For Boston and Lubec,

The schnr THOMAS, capt Thomas, will sail in a few days, and take 500 bls freight on moderate terms. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE,
Who have for sale, rec'd per schr Liberty,
50 bls mackerel, in whole and halves
100 bundles sheathing paper
September 15 tf

Liverpool Salt and Coals.

THE cargo of brig Nancy & Mary, J. Barnecoat master, from Liverpool,
4500 bushels coarse salt
300 do coal ALSO,
The cargo of the ship Maria, Wm. Morrell master, of
3000 bushels } coarse Liverpool salt
500 sacks }
4500 bushels Cannel and Orrell coal

For Sale or Freight,

The brig NANCY & MARY, captain Barnecoat, burthen about 2700 barrels, a good vessel, and can be ready for a cargo in a few days.

Also for Freight,

The ship MARIA, Wm. Morrell master, burthen 3600 barrels or 500 hogsheads tobacco, in complete order for any voyage.

Also for Freight,

The brig VISITER, captain Thomas, burthen about 2500 bbls. nearly a new vessel, and can be immediately ready for a cargo. Apply to
Sept 1 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Timothy Seed.

WE have just received and for sale,
60 bushels fresh timothy seed
Sept 21 BRYAN HAMPSON & Co

Mandeville & Larmour

OFFER FOR SALE,
50 hhds } Barbados and Trinidad su-
20 bls } gars
400 bags green and St Domingo coffee
45 hhds } 1st and 2d quality sugars
75 bls }
20 puncheons West India Rum
80 hhds & 40 bls northern do
100 chests and boxes superior gunpowder, imperial and young hyson teas, chiefly Sidney's and Stag's cargoes
600 reams writing paper
400 do wrapping do
350 boxes mould and dipt candles, first qualities
15,000 lbs hard soap
20 bls rosin—with wines, liquors and groceries as usual Sept 21

Cheap Dry Goods.

THE subscribers have just received their FALL SUPPLY, comprising a large and very general assortment of *Cheap Dry Goods*, most advantageously purchased in the northern markets—which they offer for sale at their store, corner of King and Fairfax streets, at the most reduced prices for cash, or good notes at short date.
H. W. ASHTON & Co.
September 21 d4t&stuth2w

20 Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living at Selden's farm, near Alexandria, on the 20th inst. a Negro Boy, named LELAND, belonging to Dr. Selden, about 18 or 19 years of age, dark complexion, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, well made, and is apt to laugh when spoken to. He had on an oznaburgh shirt and trowsers, half worn, a country cloth round-about, very much worn, and wool hat. It is probable he has gone towards Baltimore. I will give ten dollars if taken in the District, or the above reward if out of the same, and reasonable charges if brought home.
BASIL WILLIAMS
September 22 tf

COHEN'S OFFICE, BALTIMORE.
Masonic Hall Lottery.

12th day's drawing.
No 13753 first drawn, entitled to D1000
6473 7765 8500 prizes of 100
7 of 50 and 36 of 25 dollars each
The 50,000, 25,000 & 5000 are still in the wheel.
On WEDNESDAY, the 30th inst.
The first drawn Number will be entitled to
25,000 DOLLARS!!!

Whole tickets	D25 00	Fifths	D5
Halves	12 50	Eighths	3 12
Quarters	6 25	Tenths	2 50

To be had (warranted undrawn) at
COHEN'S
Lottery & Exchange Office,
110 Market street, Baltimore.
Where MORE CAPITAL PRIZES *have been obtained than at any other office in America.*
September 21 3t

New Cheese.

TWO thousand lbs. good Connecticut cheese in small casks. For sale by
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
September 1

Wheat.

I wish to purchase several thousand bushels of wheat, for which a liberal price will be given. THOMAS V. HUCK.
9th mo 16 tf

Corn.

A LIBERAL price will be paid for 7,000 bushels yellow corn on application to JOHN H. LADD & Co.
September 2

A. C. Cazenove

HAS imported per ship America, from Liverpool,
Best, second, and coarse cloths
Do cassimeres and pelisse cloths
Fine and coarse vesting
Flannels assorted and bocking baizes
Rose, striped, and point blankets
Carpeting and kerseys—which, with his former assortment, will render it very extensive. *On hand as usual,*
A general assortment of homespun
Do German linens
Window glass of all sizes
Umbrellas and parasols
Dupont's gunpowder
A few casks Murdoch, Yuille, Wardrop & Co.'s old L P and Muscat Madeira wine 6t Sept 19

Salt, Rum, &c.

450 SACKS Liverpool ground alum salt
1500 bushels do do do
100 sacks do fine do do
80 puncheons 3d pf. fine flavored West India Rum
80 hhds 1st and 2d quality muscovado sugars
300 bags prime green coffee
500 reams wrapping paper
600 lbs Spanish flotant and Bengal indigo
5 pipes pure Holland gin
20 quarter casks sweet Malaga wine
40 casks London refined salt petre
4 bbls North Carolina honey
600 lbs do beeswax
Gunpowder, imperial, young hyson and hyson teas; old Jamaica spirits and cognac brandy; old port and Madeira wine
Ground and race ginger; pepper; alum
Pimento; nutmegs; cloves; copperas
Best flour for family use—with a general assortment of GROCERIES—all of which are offered for sale on moderate terms, by
BRYAN HAMPSON & Co.
September 8 3m

Franklin and 10 plate Stoves.

THE subscriber has for sale, at his Nail Manufactory, Union-street, a number of Franklin and ten plate Stoves, of different sizes and handsome patterns.
LIKEWISE,
A general assortment of cut and wrought Nails, of every description, by wholesale or retail; bar iron; German and Crowley steel, of best quality; locks; hooks and hinges; and almost every article in the building line—which are offered on accommodating terms.
FOR RENT,
Twelve or fourteen ten plate stoves.—*They have been in use only one season.*
HORACE FIELD.
September 19 stuth4w

Hugh Smith & Co.

HAVE received by the late arrivals a general assortment of
Queens ware, Glass & China,
which are offered for sale at reduced prices. *They have also on hand,*
Window glass, of different sizes
150 boxes pipes, and 60 grindstones
September 19 stuth6w

Weavers' Slays or Reeds.

THE subscriber has for sale, 6,000 dollars worth of the first quality weavers' slays, which he will sell on moderate terms—they are assorted in boxes of 100 dolls. each—calculated for woollen, linsey, cotton and linen; all made for country weavers, 4-4 and 5-4 wide. By the box they will be sold low.
THOMAS GRIMSHAW.
September 18 6w

Notice.

SEVERAL persons having solicited the subscriber to act as their agent at Louisville, Kentucky, he takes this opportunity to inform those who may not be personally acquainted with him, that he has decided to offer his services as a LAND AGENT in that and the adjoining states, to such persons as may have business of that kind to transact.—Those who may wish to employ him are respectfully referred for information relative to his qualifications, &c. to George Graham, General John T. Mason, Captains Mackell and Beall, of the City and Georgetown; to Thomas Swan, Robt. I. Taylor, Edmund I. Lee, and Thompson Mason, esqrs. Alexandria; to General A. T. Mason, Captain J. Rose, Charles Binns, Richard H. Henderson, and Wm. Ellzey, esqs. Loudoun.—He pledges himself to attend with diligence to such business as may be committed to his care.
JOHN LITTLEJOHN.
September 22 3t

Chamber-maid Wanted.

A MIDDLE-AGED mulatto woman, that can come well recommended, may hear of a situation in a small family, by applying at this office. She must be a good washer and ironer. 6t Sept 18

L. Masterson,

BOOT AND SHOE-MAKER,
RETURNS his grateful thanks to his friends and the public in general, for the liberal patronage he has received in his line of business, and hopes they will continue it. He has on hand a good assortment of the best Philadelphia leather, which he intends manufacturing in the best manner: for neatness and durability it will be excelled by none. He has on hand a good assortment of
Boots, Bootees and Shoes,
which he will sell on reasonable terms for cash, or to punctual customers at the usual credit, at his old stand opposite the Gazette office, Royal-street.

N. B. Two boys of good disposition would be taken as apprentices to the above business. Those from the country would be preferred. August 24

Cheese, Duck, &c.

JOHN H. LADD & Co. have just received for sale,
30 boxes best Goshen cheese
Bales Russia duck and nests Hingham
20 hhds N E Rum [boxes
September 16 2w

Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of *John Janney & Co.* is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having claims, as well as those indebted to the concern, are requested to apply to Thomas V. Huck for settlement.
JOHN JANNEY,
THOMAS V. HUCK.
9th month 15th
The subscriber will continue in business at the stores formerly occupied by John Janney & Co. where he invites a continuance of the favors of the friends of the late firm. 2w THOMAS V. HUCK.

Mill Irons.

THE subscribers respectfully inform their friends and the public at large, that they have commenced making MILL IRONS, at their old stand, Union-street; they are provided with every thing necessary to carry on the business with neatness and dispatch. Orders from different parts of the country will be attended to, and promptly executed, in workmanship equal to any in the U. States. They continue to carry on the blacksmith's business in all its various branches as usual.
RICHARD ROCK & Co.
Sept 8 tuths

Rum, Sugar, Coffee, &c.

THE subscriber has received and offers for sale,
9 puncheons Jamaica and Antigua rum
15 bbls N. E. do
6 hhds sugar, part of which is very fine
15 bags of Coffee
30 boxes mould candles
12 kegs large twist tobacco, and 20 do small do Dunlap's & Barclay's manufactory
4 pipes of Teneriffe and Sicily madeira wine
15 chests, half chests and boxes young hyson and imperial tea
150 reams of rapping paper
100 letter and common do
150 dozen bed cords and lines
ALSO,
A large supply of Gibson's old whiskey for family use—together with a choice assortment of retailing liquors; pepper in kegs; glauber salts in do; pimento; alum; copperas; nutmegs; ginger; madder; brimstone; soap, in boxes; demijohns; choice cider vinegar; indigo in kegs; fig blue, &c. &c. &c. ROB. S. BLACKLOCK.
September 10 thstu3w

French Language.

WM. LANPHIER
INTENDS opening an Evening School on the 15th inst. at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of teaching the rudiments of the French language. Applicants can leave their names at Doctor Stabler's shop.

The following certificate is subjoined for their satisfaction:

TRANSLATION.

Having had the pleasure of a daily intercourse with Mr. Lanphier for several months past, we the undersigned certify, that from the profound knowledge he possesses of the French language, no person is more capable than he of teaching its rudiments and different idioms, (which constitute a part of it) and indeed the most correct pronunciation. We also have had an opportunity of conversing with several of the scholars of the same gentleman, who, without ever having been in France, speak good French.

PAUL M. GEBERT,
(Signed) *Doct. and Surg.*
EUGENE SHERIDAN.
Alexandria, June 24, 1818.
September 7 d3thstutf

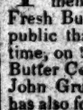
John W. Massie & Co.

HAVE just received per the ships New-Jersey, Boston, & America, from Liverpool, the principal part of their fall goods.—Among the variety of goods received there are,
Blacksmith's anvils; shovels & spades
Vices and screw-plates
Hammers, and frying-pans
Iron traces and halter chains
Plated bridle-bits and stirrups of the latest and most fashionable patterns
Woollen and hemp webs; straining do
Mill, cross cut, whip, hand, and dovetail saws
Best blistered [L], Millington, Crowley, and cast steel
English hoop iron; best saddle trees
Shoe thread in balls
All sizes of waggon boxes
A few best fowling pieces, double and single barrel
A general assortment Swedish bar iron
Together with a great variety of other articles in the Hardware line, all of which will be sold low.
September 8 tuths

SALES AT AUCTION.

THIS DAY.

UNDER the authority of a deed of trust from James D. Patterson to me, I shall at 11 o'clock, on Saturday, the 5th day of September next, upon the premises, proceed to sell at public auction for cash, or upon such credit as may then be agreed on,



a lot of ground, with the buildings thereon erected, situate on the west side of West-street, and north side of King-st. in the town of Alexandria, and described in the said deed as follows: beginning at a point where the north line of King-street intersects the west line of West-street, and extending westwardly with the line of King-street 19 feet; thence north and parallel with King-street 100 feet to a 10 feet alley; thence east and parallel to King-street 19 feet to West-street; thence south with West-street 100 feet to the beginning—subject to a ground rent of 57 dollars, payable on the 15th day of October, in each and every year forever.
J. D. SIMMS, Trustee.

☞The sale of the above property is postponed till Thursday the 24th inst. September 5

Singing School.

W. WOOD respectfully informs the young ladies and gentlemen of this city that his School for teaching Sacred Music is open on *Monday and Saturday evenings*, at Mr Edmonds' school room on Fairfax-street, near the First Presbyterian meeting house.
September 21 3t

C. & I. P. Thompson

HAVE received per ships Ocean, from London, and America, from Liverpool, the following articles:
Extra Imperial Saxony cloths and cassimeres; fine and superfine do do
Double milled drabs
Blankets; flannels; bombazetts; furniture moreens
Tartan plaids; superfine and fine Kidderminster carpetings, new patterns
Mourning and fancy London prints
Rich oriental furniture chintz
6-4 super Carlisle ginghams
Fancy and India book muslins
9-8 stout steam loom shirtings
Apron checks; Manchester cords and velvetteens—which with their former stock comprise a complete assortment of SEASONABLE GOODS.
September 3 d2w&tths1u6w

Fresh Butter.

THE subscriber having made arrangements to keep a constant supply of Fresh Butter, informs his friends and the public that they can be furnished at any time, on the most moderate terms, from his Butter Cellar in King-street, opposite Mr. John Grubb's Tobacco Manufactory. He has also for retailing, at the lowest prices,
Sugars, Teas and Coffee,
together with a variety of Liquors, and the most of other articles in the Grocery line.
JOHN P. MINNIX.
September 22 tuths3w

To Millers.

I WILL sell or lease my Mill-race and Mill-seat, situate in Prince George's county, Maryland, about 2½ miles from the Alexandria ferry. Said mill-race extends ½ of a mile through a neighboring plantation, where I have the right of taking the water at any convenient place, and 24 feet breadth of ground in fee simple.—It was dug several years ago, and is now in want of repair in some places—but little expense will suffice to put it in order.—There is from the head-water to the tail-race 17½ feet fall; and an eligible scite for a mill in the neighborhood of a sufficiency of timber to erect it.—To a person who would build a good mill on it, and oblige himself to keep it in complete order for a certain number of years, I should feel inclined to give the said property for that many years without ground rent: then to revert to me at a fair valuation of the improvements. A. W. PREUSS.
Montasile, Sept 22 tuthstf

Notice.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Honorable Court of Charles County as a Court of Equity, I shall expose to public sale at Port-Tobacco, Charles county, Maryland, on Wednesday the 7th day of October next, all the real estate of which General John Mitchell died seized, lying in Durham parish in said county, consisting of two tracts of land adjoining each other, called Hollyspring Resurveyed and Meek's Park, containing about 730 acres. This estate is situated contignous to that of Colonel John Tayloe's, near Maryland Point, and within two miles of the river Potomac, is considered one of the most healthy in that neighborhood, lies level, and the soil (a part of which is already strong), is thought to be susceptible of speedy improvement by the use of clover and plaister of paris. On this estate is a very considerable body of wood and timber, which if converted into money would probably pay the purchase money.

The improvements are a two story dwelling with two rooms and a passage on each floor, and a cellar under the whole, kitchen, Negro quarters, barn, and corn house, and an orchard of some of the choicest fruits.—A more particular description of it is deemed unnecessary, as it is presumable that those inclined to purchase will view the premises previous to the day of sale. It will be sold either entire or in parcels for the accommodation of purchasers.—The purchaser or purchasers will be required to enter into bond, with approved security for the payment of the purchase money in one, two and three years, with interest, payable annually from the day of sale; and on the ratification of the sale by the Court, and the payment of the purchase money, and not before, a deed or deeds in due form will be made, conveying all the estate, right, title, interest and claim, to the premises that the said John Mitchell, deceased, held in the same, which title is indisputable.
JOHN BARNES, Trustee.
September 7 dts

For Sale or Rent,

THAT valuable property called CONWAY'S WHARF, with the Warehouses thereon fronting on Union-street. The warehouses will be rented separately if required. For terms apply to

WM. HERBERT, jr.

August 25 tf

To Rent,

The brick warehouse at the corner of King & Union streets, lately occupied by Tucker & Wheelwright. For particulars inquire of

EBEN'R WHEELWRIGHT,
or JOHN H. LADD & Co.

September 16 dtf

Houses to Rent.

The house on Water-st. the late residence of Mr. Lee—and a house on Alfred-st. near Cameron, formerly Mr. Troon's, a good and genteel house for a small family, are now for rent.

A. HOLBROOK.

September 3 thmtf

Public Sale.

UNDER the authority of a deed of trust from James D. Patterson to me, I shall at 11 o'clock, on Saturday, the 5th day of September next, upon the premises, proceed to sell at public auction for cash, or upon such credit as may then be agreed on,

a lot of ground, with the buildings thereon erected, situate on the west side of West-street, and north side of King-st. in the town of Alexandria, and described in the said deed as follows: beginning at a point where the north line of King-street intersects the west line of West-street, and extending westwardly with the line of King-street 19 feet; thence north and parallel with King-street 100 feet to a 10 feet alley; thence east and parallel to King-street 19 feet to West-street; thence south with West-street 100 feet to the beginning—subject to a ground rent of 57 dollars, payable on the 15th day of October, in each and every year forever.

J. D. SIMMS, Trustee.

☞The sale of the above property is postponed till Thursday the 24th inst. September 5

Land for Sale.

I WILL sell from 150 to 300 acres of land, part of the farm on which I live.—On said land there is a log house with two rooms on a floor, a meat house, with several other small buildings, an excellent apple orchard, peaches, pears, quinces, damsons, &c. DANIEL DULANY.

August 24

Lexington for Sale.

THIS estate, containing two thousand three hundred and fifty acres, more or less, being one half of the well known tract of land commonly called "Mason's Neck," situated on the Potomac, in the county of Fairfax, Virginia, is now offered for sale. About two-thirds of it is covered with an uncommon heavy growth of white and bl'k oak, hickory, pine, poplar, &c. near the water's edge, whence it may be transported to the markets of the district of Columbia, (a distance of 20 miles only) where timber and fuel are always in demand, and without the expense and risk encountered in conveying those articles from situations further down the river: the remainder is in cultivation, and furnished with every necessary building for that purpose: together with orchards and a blacksmith's shop. The

other improvements are a spacious and elegant dwelling-house, kitchen, dairy, smoke-house, office, ice-house, a well of excellent water, and a falling garden, of the most tasteful and costly design, filled with the rarest and most beautiful shrubberies and flowers, exotic and indigenous, all situated on an eminence, commanding a view of the rest of the tract, which extends in an unintercepted plain from the foot of the eminence to the Potomac and Occoquan, by which it is so far bounded as to render the expense of enclosing it comparatively nothing. The prospect, moreover, of the surrounding country, diversified in every direction by sheets of water, is really beautiful beyond description. There are likewise attached to this estate four valuable

Shad & Herring Fisheries:

however, the subscriber intends to reserve one of them and a few acres of land. The woods abound with deer in such numbers, that with a little care a gentleman might command a constant supply of venison for his table; and besides the large streams abovementioned, the various creeks and inlets that every where intersect the land are covered in the proper season with wild fowl of every description known in our waters. When to all these advantages is added the great natural fertility of the land, which is not exceeded perhaps in the western country, its adaption to improvement by the use of plaster, which has been proved by experiment, its vicinity to society, to market, to two manufacturing grist-mills, to which the distance of conveyance by land and water is not more than 5 or 6 miles, it may with truth be pronounced the most valuable estate, of the same extent, in the whole range of country watered by the Potomac. It will be sold entire or divided to suit purchasers.

The terms of sale will be one-third of the purchase money in hand, the remaining 2-3ds in two equal annual payments, with interest from the day of sale, secured by a deed of trust on the land—which will be shewn in my absence to any person disposed to purchase, by Mr. *William Allison* or Mr. *Weston*, residing on the premises.

August 31 WILLIAM MASON.

For Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale the large Brick Building lately occupied by him in the town of Alexandria, together with most of the essential articles of Furniture attached to it. The whole will be sold on the most reasonable terms.—He also offers for sale, an excellent Philadelphia built carriage, and a pair of well broke horses. W. H. FITZHUGH,

Ravensworth, June 25—d1wThtf

Gunston for Sale.

THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria—it is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Pohick creek, and contains nearly 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shad and herring fisheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in four tracts, so as to have one or more fisheries to each; these tracts will be again divided if requisite. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very fertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaister acts with an effect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania.—I have used 500 bushels in twelve months, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles, on a stream navigable for vessels carrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Dist. of Columbia prices are given for grain: being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to inclose the whole: it would be admirably adapted to grazing. The im-

provements are a large and very substantial brick mansion, 40 by 70 feet, with every necessary outhouse, three commodious barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of lime are just burnt on the premises. There is a considerable extent of live fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peach, besides an abundance of other choice fruit. More than 150 acres are in clover, 200 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small grain. Any quantity of hay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might,) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canvass backs, the woods with deer and a variety of other game. Mules, cattle, highly improved sheep, farming utensels and household furniture can be had. The terms of sale will be accommodating. Property in any of the cities, negroes, bank stock, western lands, or lands near the Ridge, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Pohick Church, Fairfax county, Virginia.

September 4 GEORGE MASON.

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, ss.

ON the petition of JILSON DOVE, an insolvent debtor, confined in the jail of Alexandria county for debt—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said JILSON DOVE, that on the first Monday in October next, at the court house of said county, the oath prescribed by the act of Congress of the United States, entitled "an act for the relief of insolvent debtors within the District of Columbia," will be administered to the said insolvent, and a trustee appointed, unless sufficient cause to the contrary be then and there shewn.—Ordered, that this notice be advertised in both papers published in Alexandria, three times a week for two weeks before the said first Monday in October next.

By order of the hon. Wm. Cranch, chief Judge of the U. States Circuit Court for the District of Columbia.

E. I. LEE, C. C.

September 15 wfm2w

Stop the Swindler.

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

I WILL give the above reward for apprehending and lodging in any jail in the District of Columbia, a person by the name of JOHN POST, a Bricklayer and Stonemason, who has been at work for about two months past at Fort Washington, and was discharged on the 7th of September inst.—He says he was born in the state of New-York; is about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, and has sandy hair: he had with him an apprentice boy, nearly grown. A few days previous to his leaving Fort Washington he took the liberty of borrowing, in the name of Mr John Cohagen, from a lady at that place 15 dollars, which was not known till after he left it; and immediately after he was discharged and paid off, he forged two checks in the name of the Subscriber, on the Farmers' Bank of Alexandria, one of which he procured the money for at the Bank, and the other he passed to a person in Alexandria, which was detected and refused.—Previous to his coming to Fort Washington, he worked in the City of Washington, where he said he intended to work again; but it is probable he has not stopped so near the theatre of his villany.

Persons are cautioned against being imposed on by him. BOLITHA LAWS.

September 16 tf

Carpenters Wanted.

THE subscriber wants to emply 4 good House Carpenters. To such he will give good wages, if immediate application be made. WILLIAM STEWART.

September 14 1w

John P. Latruite,

JEWELLER AND SILVERSMITH,

HAS just received from Baltimore and Philadelphia, a handsome assortment of

Looking Glasses,

among which are some of the newest fashions, such as have not been exhibited in this town before; all of which he will sell as low as they can be procured in the above places.

He has on hand a handsome assortment of gold and silver watches, jewellery, silver ware of every description; and plated ware, consisting of branch candlesticks, candlesticks, liquor stands, castors, snuffers, trays, &c. &c.

September 18 2w

Ship Timber, &c.

THE subscriber, residing on Mattawoman Creek, in Charles County, Maryland, will dispose of (standing) a large quantity of first rate White Oak Ship Timber, Wharf Logs, Timber suited for Staves, Plank, Scantling, or other purposes, in any quantity; likewise several thousand cords Oak Wood. Purchasers will find it to their advantage to apply as the terms will be moderate, and there is navigable water to the spot.

Wm. MASON.

May 8 tf

Swedes' Bar Iron.

THREE hundred and twenty-five tons Swedes' Bar Iron, well assorted.

Just received per ship Young Hero, from Gothenburg, for sale by

PHINEAS JANNEY

9th mo 15 tuths7t

C. Pothury,

Professor of the French, Spanish, Portuguese and Italian Languages,

INFORMS the Ladies and Gentlemen of Alexandria, that he has commenced to teach the above languages at Mr. *Cowing's* School-Room. Terms and hours of attendance may be known by personal application to him there at 7 o'clock every evening (Thursdays and Sundays excepted).

September 2 wtf

Alexandria, August 4.

WAS committed to the jail of this Co. as a run away, a negro man, who calls himself JOHN WEAKS, and says that he was born free in Prince George Co. Maryland, that his mother's name is Sally Green, who lives near the road leading from the Alexandria Ferry to the Eastern Branch bridge, adjoining one Hen. Thompson. He was committed to this jail on the 7th May last, and then called himself William Washington, but made his escape the 16th. He is about 25 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, stout made. Says he is known to Mr. Daniel Moxley, and Henry Thompson, of Maryland. The owner is requested to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs.

ANDREW ROUNSAVELL, Jailor.

August 8 law2m

Robert Gray

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and former customers, that he has recommenced the

Bookbinding and Stationary Business,

next door to the corner of King and Royal streets, and is prepared to execute any orders in the Bookbinding business with which he may be honored—he is also supplied on commission, with a small assortment of Stationary comprised of articles most in demand, and particularly invites the attention of juvenile customers to articles used in schools, such as Cyphering and Copy books, &c. which are made of the best materials that can be procured and at the usual prices—Orders from Banks or public offices for any kind of blank account books, can be executed in a style of strength and elegance equal to any in the United States. May 27

Charles County Court,

March Term 1818.

BILL IN CHANCERY.

Robert Perry
versus
James B Dunnington, Robert Dunnington, Francis Taylor and Elizabeth B. his wife, James Bloxham and Catharine his wife, William Simmons and Esther his wife, heirs of William Dunnington.

THE Complainant alleged in his bill that the Respondents have in possession the real estate of their deceased father Wm. Dunnington, whose personal estate was not sufficient for the payment of his debts. Wm. Dunnington's estate is indebted to the complainant in a large sum of money. The object of the bill is to procure a decree for the sale of the land, for the payment of the debts remaining unpaid by the personal estate. Some of the heirs of Wm. Dunnington are non-residents. It is therefore upon, at motion of the Complainant, ordered that he cause a copy of this order to be inserted in the Alexandria Gazette for the space of three months, to the intent that the absent defendants may have notice of this application, and of the subject and object of the bill, and may be warned to appear in this court in person or by a solicitor, to shew cause, if any there be, wherefore a decree should not pass as prayed. Teste,

JOHN BARNES, Clk.

June 27 3m

Charles County Court,

March Term 1818.

ON application to Charles county court by petition in writing of John Smith, of Charles county, for the benefit of the act of assembly for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session 1805, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned therein, a schedule of his property and list of his creditors on oath, so far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his petition, and the court being satisfied by competent testimony that the said John Smith has resided two years immediately preceding the time of his application in the state of Maryland, and being also satisfied that the said John Smith is actual confinement for debt, and the said John Smith having entered into bond with sufficient security for his personal appearance in Charles county court, to answer such allegations as his creditors may make against him—It is therefore ordered and adjudged that the said John Smith be discharged from imprisonment; and that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some one of the newspapers edited in the District of Columbia, once a week for two months successively before the third Monday of August next, he give notice to his creditors to appear before the said Court, at Charlestown, in said county, on the said third Monday of August next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause why the said John Smith should not have the benefit of the several insolvent laws as prayed. Given under my hand this 20th day of June 1818.

Teste, JOHN BARNES, Clk.

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria county, } 1818
September Term,

ORDERED, That the administrators of John Violett, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week for four weeks in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy.

Test, A. MOORE,
Register of Wills.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscribers, of Alexandria county, in the district of Columbia, have obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of John Violett, late of the county aforesaid, deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 10th day of March next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate—and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under our hands this 10th day of September, 1818.

CATHARINE VIOLETT,
ROBERT G. VIOLETT.

Administrators of John Violett, dec.

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria County, } 1818
September Term,

ORDERED, That the administratrix of Archibald I. Taylor, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy.

Test, A. MOORE,
Register of Wills.

This is to give notice,

That the subscriber, of Alexandria county, in the district of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of Archibald I. Taylor deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 10th day of March next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate, and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 10th day of September, 1818.

ELIZABETH TAYLOR,

Adm'x. of Archibald I. Taylor, dec.

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria County, } 1818
September Term,

ORDERED, That the executor of Christian Piles, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week for two weeks in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy.

Test, A. MOORE,
Register of Wills.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscriber, of Alexandria county, in the district of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county letters testamentary on the estate of Christian Piles, late of the county aforesaid, deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 10th day of March next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate, and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 10th day of September, 1818.

LEWIS PILES,

Executor of Christian Piles, dec.

PROPOSALS,

By Gideon Fairman, John Binns and Charles S. Parker,

TO PUBLISH

A Splendid Edition of

Washington's Farewell Address.

To the People of the United States.

THE world has seen enough of warriors and of Heroes—enough of Statesmen—of men who have guided Armies in the field, or dictated as Sages in the Cabinet, for the exclusive purpose of Ambition. History from its earliest page to the present day, has offered to our contemplation, only ONE WASHINGTON, but ONE MAN, whose dangers in war, and labors in in peace, were undertaken and supported with a single eye, to the benefit of his country; whose wonderful and honorable success, was the plain result of wisdom in design, and valour in execution; whom danger never appalled, nor defeat depressed; who, persevering in the justice of his cause, wooed Victory till he won her: who covetted no reward but the well earned approbation of those whose interest he lived to promote: who renounced all public honors, when they ceased to be the necessary instruments of good to the people, whose gratitude conferred them: who superior to all Monarchs, was content to be called the American Citizen. His career of glory through life was unstained by crime; and his death was felt as a loss by every individual of that community, whose political existence was the fruit of his exertions.

THE FAREWELL ADDRESS *of General Washington* is the condensed result of long experienced, matured reflection and strong anxiety for the permanent prosperity of his country. His advice concerning the great importance of maintaining indissolubly the federal Union: the danger of indulging too much in party feelings:—the necessity of supporting public credit at home:—of maintaining public faith in all our transactions with foreign nations: of encouraging foreign intercourse free frm foreign attachments:—are so many lessons of prudence which we should do well to bear in constant remembrance. Why therefore should not his legacy of wisdom and affection, be so published, as to admit of being constantly before our eyes? An ornament to our apartments, while it serves as a memento to guide our public feelings, and to manifest that the author lives in our memories?

To make it such, is the aim of the proposed Edition.

The Publishers are determined that the Address shall be printed on paper of the same quality and size as the splendid edition of the Declaration of Independence now engraving, & shall in all respects be a companion worthy that great State paper.

As errors are known from various causes to find their way into the most important writings, the publishers feel it their duty, not only to satisfy themselves, but to satisfy the public, of the authenticity of the copy from which this splendid Edition of the Farewell Address shall be published.

MR. GEORGE BRIDPORT will complete the Design; of which the following is an outline:—The introductory part of the Address, in highly finished ornamental penmanship, shall form the upper part;—the other parts of the plate, shall be appropriate ornaments;—in the centre below shall be engraved, from an historical design for this publication by Mr. *Sully* the Surrender of the British Army at York-town, October 19, 1781.

The Address itself shall be printed with type of a peculiar and appropriate character, designed for this purpose by Mr. Fairman, and to be cut and cast by our best artists. No more of the type shall be cast than will be necessary to execute this Address; & when it shall be compleated, the type and the matrices in which it was cast shall be utterly destroyed; so that no other work shall ever be executed by the same letter which shall have printed the "FAREWELL ADDRESS" of him who lived and died, *first in War; first in Peace, and first in the hearts of his Countrymen.*

The paper, of the first quality, 36 by 26 inches, will be made by Mr. Amies. The INK shall be carefully prepared, and of the best materials.

The signature of General Washington from which it is proposed to execute a fac simile for this publication, is that which he affixed to the Constitution of the United States, when he signed it as President of the Convention in which it was framed; Thus associating and concentrating some of the greatest events in the life of this great man and in the history of his Country.

The ornamental writing will be designed and executed in the very best manner; the ornamental parts of the design and vignette, will be engraved by G. FAIRMAN: and the Typographical part executed by *John Binns.* They will take especial care of the execution of their several duties in this respect, and they will call to their aid, all that liberality, zeal and industry can command from the Sciences and Arts, so as to make the "*Farewell Address*" no mean specimen of the state of the Fine Arts in the United States.

As much progress has already been made in designing and procuring materials for this splended edition of Gen. Washington's "*Farewell Address,*" it is expected it will be ready for delivery, with the Splended Edition of the Declaration of Independence, in the month of December next. That the public may have a more perfect view of the design and style of execution, than can be given in a proposal, of this Tribute to the memory of him who was "a Conqueror for the Freedom of his Country! A "Legislator for its Security! A Magistrate for its Happiness," it is not intended to solicit any Subscsiptions until the Ornamental parts of the plate shall be executed. It will then be submitted for public inspection and public patronage, at five dollars a Copy, payable on the delivery of the Engraving.

Philadelphia, July 31.

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Landing

FROM on board the Norfolk packet and for sale, 12 Hhds Antigua Rum

August 20 NEWTON KEENE.

Prunello and Silk Shoes.

JUST received, (direct from France) 25 doz. black, green, buff, cinnamon, white, brown and dove colored silk and prunello shoes, of superior quality; a few dozen glazed shoes.

ALSO,

On hand, an extensive assortment of ladies' and misses' kid, morocco and leather shoes; gentlemen's fine boots, shoes and pumps; do. mens and course shoes and pumps; boys' and children's do; first and second quality Baltimore hats; low priced men's and boys' do; water proof plush do.—For sale wholesale and retail by the subscriber at his store, King street. WM. TRUE.

August 3 d1wwfmtf

This day is published,

AND for sale at the bookstore of

JAMES KENNEDY & SON,

The Controversy between M. B. & Querro,

which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of

ROMAN CATHOLICISM:

To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of Indulgencies—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.

BY A PROTESTANT.

Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

Books and Stationary.

ROBERT GRAY has just received for sale on commission, an invoice of Books and Stationary, among which are the following articles, viz:

Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shey's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs; Accidents of life
Cisbourne's natural theology
Adams's history of all religions
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Brownie of Bodsbeck
The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or single; superfine vellum cap writing paper

August 28

For Sale,

BY special appointment, Dr. Dean's genuine

Vegetable Rheumatic Pills:

So celebrated in New-England for the many remarkable cures which they have wrought, some of which are particularized in the papers of directions, where many thousand boxes are used annually to general satisfaction.

These pills are recommended by men of the first characters in the state of Massachusetts. JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

September 24 tf

Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of *John Janney & Co.* is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having claims, as well as those indebted to the concern, are requested to apply to Thomas V. Huck for settlement.

JOHN JANNEY.
THOMAS V. HUCK.

9th month 15th

The subscriber will continue in business at the stores formerly occupied by John Janney & Co. where he invites a continuance of the favors of the friends of the late firm. 2w THOMAS V. HUCK.

Port-Tobacco Jockey Club Races,

WILL commence on TUESDAY, the 27th of OCTOBER next. The purses to be raised and paid as usual.—They will be respectable; but the precise amount cannot be ascertained.—It is supposed the first day's purse will be 300 dollars; the second, about 200; the third day's race, for a saddle, bridle, and martingale: for saddle horses of the county only. ☞The first day's race, 4 miles and repeat; the second day's race, 2 miles and repeat; the third day's race, 1 mile and repeat:—weights agreeable to the Washington jockey club races, except the saddle horses, and they may carry a feather. Sept. 18 1270

50 Dollars Reward.

ABSCONDED on Saturday morning, the 15th inst. negro George, or George Griffin, the property of Miss M'Call, by trade a nailer, and understands some part of the blacksmith's business; he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, stout made, very black complexion, large eyes and mouth, with thick lips. He is a very artful fellow and has been in the habit of obtruding himself as a free man, and will no doubt attempt to pass as such, and probably get work—has a down look when spoken to.—His clothes not recollected, having various suits.

A reward of 10 dollars will be given if taken in the town or county, 20 in the county of Washington or Fairfax, or the above reward if taken 50 miles from town, with all reasonable charges if brought home.

Masters of vessels are cautioned against harboring or carrying off said runaway, as they will be dealt with according to law.

JAMES SANDERSON.

August 17 tf